SENATE RESOLUTION 199 By Kurita

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Hemali Patel, 2002 Co-Salutatorian of Cheatham County Central High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Hemali Patel is one such exceptional student who was recently named Co-Salutatorian of the 2002 graduating class at Cheatham County Central High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Patel has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, she has earned an exemplary 3.96 Grade Point Average; and

WHEREAS, due to her outstanding commitment to academic excellence, Ms. Patel has earned numerous honors and awards, including the Honors World History Award, the Computer Applications I Award and the Principles of Business Award; and

WHEREAS, highly respected as a leader among her peers, Ms. Patel has been active in numerous scholastic organizations, including the National Beta Club, the National Honor Society and Mu Alpha Theta; and

WHEREAS, Hemali Patel's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, her achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her family, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Patel's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, That we hereby commend and honor 2002 Cheatham County Central High School Co-Salutatorian, Hemali Patel, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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